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From: Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards [Rik.Rasmussen@waterboards.ca.gov]
Sent: 12/22/2015 5:57:02 PM
To: Mitchell, Matthew [Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Need Your Feedback for Ali at HQ
Attachments: removed.txt; Abt Associates Tox Amendment Econ Analysis - no markups.docx; Econ Analysis - Edited 6-12-13.docx; econ_revision_7_08.doc

Hi Matt-

I am working remotely today (so I can actually get some review work done). Zane just forwarded the information that we found on the previous tox econ. I will attach it to this e-mail). I will see if I can send you the draft regulatory language for bact too... I just finished reviewing it. Need to make sure that I won't blow our deliberative process too early...

Rik



From: Mitchell, Matthew [mailto:Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov]
Sent: Tuesday, December 22, 2015 9:52 AM
To: Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards
Subject: Need Your Feedback for Ali at HQ
Importance: High

Hi Rik,

I just left you a voicemail. I'm hoping we can talk briefly today as I'll be out the rest of the week.

I need to get back to Ali at HQ who is the lead work assignment manager on this. He would like to see the last version of Abt's Toxicity analysis if you have that or I can send him the SWRCB Staff Report with the analysis as one of the attachments if that's appropriate.

He is thinking that the mercury re-draft won't be a lot of work and wants to get an idea of how much additional work the toxicity analysis will take. He's thinking that there might be an opportunity to do more on the bacteria analysis because there might be enough funds left over. I don't think he clearly understood how CA will apply the new bacteria criteria, so if you can summarize that again and compare it to the work completed back in the early 2000s that would be great.

Thanks,

Matt

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Sent: Wednesday, December 09, 2015 9:22 AM
To: Mitchell, Matthew <Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov>
Subject: RE: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

Yep 1-2 would be fine

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From: Mitchell, Matthew [<mailto:Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, December 09, 2015 9:16 AM
To: Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards
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Abt can't do 10-11. Would 1-2 on Friday still work for you?

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To: Mitchell, Matthew <Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov>
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OK... sounds good. If push comes to shove I could also do a call tomorrow after lunch... I will be home waiting for my face to thaw after a root canal but I should be able to call in on my cell phone.

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From: Mitchell, Matthew [mailto:Mitchell.Matthew@epa.gov]

Sent: Wednesday, December 09, 2015 9:05 AM

To: Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards

Subject: FW: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

Importance: High

Hi Rik,

I'm trying to see if Friday at 10-11 would work. I think the call would work better if you are on it, and Abt's work plan is due on December 17th. I think we have \$55K available, so Abt likely needs to know how to prioritize the work since they probably can't complete everything we have in there. I don't think we are allowed to talk about money on the call, but I noticed that the work plan calls for 520 hours which roughly translates into \$55 K.

Thanks,

Matt

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From: Mitchell, Matthew

Sent: Tuesday, December 08, 2015 3:40 PM

To: 'Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards' <Rik.Rasmussen@waterboards.ca.gov>

Subject: RE: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

Would it work better if we had a 15 minute conversation on Wed. or Thurs. morning and you could let me know your priorities, schedule, etc.?

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Subject: RE: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

So for this crazy week Friday between 7 and 9, or 10-11:30 or 1-3 work (but grab time quickly as my schedule has been turning into a beehive of overlapping meetings) It looks like the 15th could work as it appears that my items have all been bumped to future meetings... If those options don't work I'll have to move it out to the week before Christmas or after Christmas...

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Sent: Tuesday, December 08, 2015 1:56 PM

To: Rasmussen, Rik@Waterboards

Subject: FW: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

Hi Rik,

Can you participate on this call with Abt and PG about the economic analysis work plan? Let me know what times work for you.

Thanks,

Matt

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Subject: Availability to discuss WA 2-39

Hi Ali and Matthew,

We would like to schedule a call to discuss the SOW for 2-39, to better understand your expectations, needs, schedule, etc., so that we can prepare a responsive work plan.

Are there any times that would work for you to have a call this week? We will send an invitation once we have a day/time.

Thank you,
Dan

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